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NEWS TOPICS OF A WEEK

IMPORTANT EVENTS IN FEW WORDS FOR BUSY READERS.

A Complete Record of the Busy Week's Happenings Carefully Compiled and Put into Handy and Attractive Shape for the Readers of Our Paper.

THE WORLD'S SUFFERERS.

Intense suffering from famine is reported in North Finland.

The persecutions of Jews in Russia continue on an extensive scale.

Over one thousand nine hundred men, women and children were burned, smothered or trampled under foot in a fire while attending a celebration in a town near Canton, China. The torch was applied by a band of robbers, and a total of 3,000 lives were lost.

MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

Negotiations are under way for a military ride from Vienna to Rome.

The insurgents of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, have invaded Uruguay.

There is much discontent in the Russian army with the prolonged period of peace, and many officers think the czar is too pacific in his disposition.

NAVAL MATTERS.

A new line of steamships is to be established between Swansea, Wales, and South American ports, calling at New York. There will be a fleet of six vessels, exclusively for freight.

The steamer Nordland, from New York for Liverpool, with a broken shaft, was towed into Queenstown by the tugboat, bound from Philadelphia. The Nordland had a very tempestuous voyage, and was disabled 400 miles from Queenstown.

LIBERTY.

Prince Metelski, manager of the Oranienbaum, of St. Petersburg, has been sentenced to one month in prison for libelling public officials.

L'Electeur, Mr. Picard's paper, of Quebec, has been condemned to pay \$100 damages and costs to Hon. L. C. Peltier, Provincial Secretary, for libel.

On Friday W. F. Maclean M. P. was committed for trial on a second charge of continually libelling Mayor Fleming, of Toronto.

SUICIDES.

Two more players at the Monte Carlo gaming tables have committed suicide.

John Kenny, aged nineteen, committed suicide in Montreal by shooting himself with a pistol.

Ella Rogers, a Russian actress, has shot herself because her lover, Prince Stolski, abandoned her.

A dispatch from Markham says: "News have reached here of the suicide by hanging of Herbert Clarke, eldest son of John Clarke, a farmer, living at Thorndale. The young man, who was aged 32, had been low-spirited for some time past."

EPIDEMICS.

Cholera continues to spread in the north of France.

At Celina, Ohio, an infected troop caused an outbreak of smallpox.

Two deaths from cholera have occurred in Altona, a suburb of Hamburg.

A number of cases of typhus fever have been reported in New York.

Four more cases of cholera and two deaths have been reported in Hamburg.

Four fresh cases of cholera and two deaths were reported from Dumkir, France.

Kilgour, a small town in Carroll county, Ohio, has almost been depopulated by diphtheria.

DISASTERS OF THE WEEK.

An explosion occurred in the Paris prefecture of police on Friday. Anarchists are suspected.

Numerous arrests continue to be made in Paris against persons suspected of conspiracy against the czar.

A mass meeting of Cork citizens has adopted a resolution condemning the recent dynamite outrages in Dublin.

The Irish National League of Great Britain has issued a statement strongly denouncing the Dublin outrages as a blow against the hopes of Ireland.

A number of policemen and firemen at Buenos Ayres have been arrested charged with plotting to burn up the city, with the object of plunder.

THE FIRE RECORD.

Every business house in Snow Hill, Alabama, has been burned.

Ordinville was visited by a destructive fire early Thursday morning. The Coldwater street rink and several adjoining buildings were destroyed.

At Oswatimie, Kansas, three large two-story buildings caught fire from natural gas and were entirely consumed. Four persons were cremated.

The plant and buildings of the Milwaukee Street Railway Co. were destroyed by fire yesterday. The blaze was started from fire in the car stores.

William Brown's dwelling, in the 11th connection of Hampshire was burned Wednesday morning. The inmates escaped in their night-clothes and Mrs. Brown had her feet badly frozen.

THE LABOR WORLD.

It is said the coal dealers in the Hooking Valley will combine against the Reading trust.

A strike among the workers in stained music and operetta glasses is in progress in New York city.

The Springfield, N.B., strike is not settled yet. Manager Cowan refusing, it is said, to sign the agreement.

Thousands of the poorest cotton operatives in Louisiana, England, are said to be on the verge of starvation.

The Panama congress has passed a law authorizing the introduction of Chinese workmen for all classes of industrial enterprises.

The difference between the Baltimore and Chicago railroad officials and the other

trade unionists of the Brotherhood of Trainmen have been settled by the signing of a wage scale, which makes an average increase of from eight to eight-and-a-half cents per day.

RELIGIOUS.

During his 30 years of office Bishop Lewis of the diocese of Ontario, has confirmed 35,000 persons.

Rev. J. D. Ferguson, of Quebec, has been given a hall by the congregation of St. Anne's church.

FEDERAL PARAGRAPH.

Father Meyer, of Marquette college, Milwaukee, has been promoted to the head of the English speaking Jesuits.

The Prince of Wales will not visit the World's Fair. So says his private secretary.

Lord Stanley has been travelling in western Ontario and held receptions at Seaforth, Petrolia and Goderich.

There is some talk of Lord Wolsey being appointed Governor-General of Canada.

The story that Empress Elizabeth of Austria was captured by brigands is denied.

The guardians of George and Jay Gould's infant children have begun a legal squabble about the amount to be paid them for their trouble.

Dr. Briggs, of Harvey fame, was again sustained in New York, Monday, 9th inst., by the adoption by the presbytery of the report of the investigating council. The vote stood 38 to 47.

Mr. Gladstone has returned to London. A crowd of visitors and admirers accompanied him to the station at Biarritz and cheered him as the train moved off. Mr. Gladstone looked exceptionally well.

Miss Frances Willard has been received publicly at Exeter hall, London. The building was crowded and Miss Willard's address was cheered and applauded enthusiastically. Lady Henry Somerset presided.

Mr. W. St. John, of Parkdale, has been nominated by the West York Conservatives to represent them in the next contest for the Legislative Assembly.

Louis Pasteur, the French chemist and biologist, was seventy years old last week.

Mr. Gladstone received hundreds of letters of congratulation on the occasion of his 83rd birthday.

Edward Parker Deacon has begun an action in the American supreme court for an absolute divorce from his wife.

Ex-Premier Macdonald has gone to Rome to plead the case of the parishioners of St. Hyacinthe against Bishop Morneau.

Mr. J. K. O'Connor, vice-president of the Massey-Harris company, who is removing to Toronto, was banqueted and presented with a handsome illuminated address at Brantford on Thursday evening.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, of Brookline, Ont., is retiring from the teaching profession to take a medical course in Toronto. He is a son of the late J. W. Thompson, who was killed by the Brookline friends.

THE CRIMINAL RECORD.

R. W. Godolphin, of Huntsville, treasurer and tax collector, is said to have absconded.

At the Toronto police court Mr. W. F. Maclean, M. P., was committed for trial on the charge of criminal libel preferred against him by Mayor Fleming, and on Friday the operation was again repeated in another case.

Lewis Fox and Adam Grippon, two colored murderers, were lynched in St. Charles parish, Louisiana, Wednesday night.

John Windsor, the Toronto man, who in a fit of bad temper tore up \$170 of his wife's money, got six months in the Central for it.

John Donahue, convicted of stealing clothing from a St. Thomas boarding house, was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison.

Informations have been made against several other persons implicated in the poisoning of the non-union workmen in the Hueston mill.

A jewellery store on Queen street east, Toronto, was ransacked by masked men in their fight against the law.

Count Peter Romanoff is said to have been killed in a duel with a man from Brooklyn, N. Y., at Nice. The affair grew out of a gambling dispute.

A negro on trial at Bowling Green, N.Y., for assaulting a young white woman, was taken from the court room by a mob, hanged to a tree and riddled with bullets.

Twelve hundred cases of contraband opium valued at \$12,000, were seized at San Francisco. The opium was hidden in the sheathing of the steamer Oceanic from Hong Kong.

THE DEAD.

Bob Slavin, the minstrel, died suddenly at Toledo, Ohio.

Crown Attorney Hutchinson, of London, died Friday evening, aged 60.

Orange Judd, senior editor of the Orange Judd Farmer, of Chicago, died last week, aged 70.

Capt. Joseph Taylor, one of the oldest marine men in Canada, died Friday at Kingston, aged 83.

William Shaw, the well known importer of and dealer in works of art in New York, is dead.

Mr. George Taylor, late general freight agent of the Intercolonial railway, died on Friday at Halifax.

John Cathcart, a farmer of Stoneham, Man., dropped dead in a Chinese morning while attempting to his stock.

Live Leachy, a Russian woman who lived in New York, died the other day at the reputed age of 114 years and 6 months.

Rev. Wm. Fraser, D.D., late clerk of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, died at Barrie, in his 80th year.

Rev. Samuel Reed, B.D., professor of systematic divinity and dogmatic theology in the general theological seminary of the Protestant Episcopal church, died in New York Friday, aged 73.

Holmes Scott, a resident of Oxford and Kent for over sixty years, is dead.

John Comerford, assistant storekeeper of the Hamilton asylum, dropped dead of heart disease. He was 67.

Mrs. Joseph Houle met her death in Quebec by the explosion of a store in the basement of her home.

A man named Dennis was killed at Hamilton a few days ago.

Harry Alexander, Toronto, died from the effects of a trolley car accident.

A young man named Marvin, of Escondido, Ont., fell into a well and was drowned.

Mr. Hellyar, a student of Albert College, Belleville, received injuries while playing football which caused his death.

Charles M. Johnston, late of Toronto, has been killed at Kokomo, Ind., by an explosion.

Brother Ignatius, a native of Holland, died at Halifax a few days ago.

Mrs. William Mackay, for over fifty years a resident of Woodstock, is dead, aged 80.

Thos. Hannigan, of St. Catharines, was killed in a saloon row, in Buffalo, N. Y., a few days ago.

Geo. Bennett, contractor, and a prominent resident of Woodstock, died recently of apoplexy.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

There are 150,000 bibles.

Bath, Me., has a floating hotel.

Uncle Sam has 12,890,132 families.

A ton of coal yields nearly 10,000 feet of gas.

Queen Victoria's dining-room furniture cost \$18,000.

The Emperor of China orders 300 pairs of boots at a time.

There are 110,000 species of flowering plants on the globe.

The telephone has been known in India for thousands of years.

There is more money spent for eggs than for flour in the United States.

Nails can be driven into hardwood without bending if first dipped in lard.

CASUALTIES.

Joe Robertson was struck by a yard engine at the North Head station, B.C., and died two hours afterward.

The three-year-old son of Jacob Kruger, of Hanover, was killed by a street car.

Water was received injuries which will likely prove fatal.

The 3-year-old daughter of Emerson Currah, Bright, has been burned to death. Her clothes caught fire while her parents were out of the house.

At Chicago on Friday four persons were killed and twice that number injured by the collision of a passenger train with a freight train.

John Taylor, of Belleville, went to Madoc to vote Friday. As he was getting off the car his little finger got caught in the car door and pulled his finger off at the middle joint.

A brakeman on the Michigan Central Railway, who has not yet been identified, fell from a car at Homer, Mich., and was cut in two. His body was mutilated.

David J. Park, senior member of the firm of Park Bros., Chatham, died Thursday morning from the effects of the severe burning of his face.

The weapon discharged, killing one and wounding two other daughters of Mr. Davis.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Dundurn park, in Hamilton, has been surveyed into building lots.

The U. S. Wallpaper trust intends increasing its capital to \$38,000,000.

Wheat prices jumped up from 3 to 5 cents per bushel in Manitoba on Friday.

The money stolen the other day from the express office at Barrie has been recovered.

Shippers of hay from Kingston to England say the venture has been unsatisfactory.

The postal revenues of New Zealand last year were \$2,000,000, and the expenditure \$388,842.

Ludwig Malm, dry goods merchant of Duluth, has secured liabilities, \$180,000 assets considerably less.

The Waterloo County Council has ordered from England a coat of arms for the Berlin Court House, to cost \$125.

A New York capitalist has made extensive purchases of lithographic stone deposits in Marquette, Hastings county, Ont.

S. V. White, of New York has mailed cheques paying in full his creditors of the unfortunate corn deal which caused his bankruptcy.

The Essex Canal Company has determined to retain Ferdinand de Lesseps and his son in their present positions in the company's service.

The entire police force was discharged Friday morning in order to establish a pension fund. Only those physically fit will be taken on again.

W. L. Sachtleben, of Alton, Ill., and Thomas G. Allen, of Ferguson, Ind., have reached San Francisco, after making a tour of the world on bicycles.

The London Standard's Berlin correspondent says a complete opera, entitled "King Lear," has been found among the manuscripts of the deceased composer, Liszt.

On Thursday 500 farmers started out on a "hog" trip, for a wolf drive. They got into wolf traps, the animals escaped.

For the first five months of the current fiscal year the receipts at Washington of internal revenue show an increase of \$5,713,874.96 over the corresponding period last year.

The President has proclaimed a definite arrangement of commercial reciprocity with Salvador, concluded on the 9th ultimo. The arrangement took effect Saturday.

Lord Mayor Kaill of London, paid a visit in full state to Lord Mayor Meade, of Dublin. On Sunday both the officials went in procession to the Roman Catholic cathedral, where they attended mass.

POLITICAL.

The Novos Vremya, of Petersburg, publishes an article, apparently inspired by high authority, disparaging the French alliance.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Daily News says that the Czar-witch will attend the wedding of the Emperor's sister, Princess Margaret of Prussia, for the purpose of improving relations between Germany and Russia.

The annual report of the minister of finance shows the receipts during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, reached \$28,921,871, or \$1,487,489 less than the previous year. The total expenditure was \$26,765,894, an increase of nearly half a million.

THE WORLD'S WEATHER.

Old London is buried under a dense fog.

The Ohio river is frozen over at Cincinnati.

Ice-cutting has commenced on Hamilton bay.

The ice scenery at Niagara Falls is said to be very grand just now.

Charleston, a way down in South Carolina, has a blizzard last week.

The Mississippi river is frozen over from shore to shore at St. Louis.

On Tuesday the mercury dropped to 23 degrees in New Orleans, the coldest since 1890.

Intensely cold weather prevails throughout England, and much suffering is reported.

A despatch from Chaboyan, Mich., says the straits are frozen over at the earliest date for years.

Navigation on the Rhine, Moselle, Beck and Main rivers, in Germany, has been stopped by floating ice.

Damage to the extent of \$1,000,000 has been caused by floods in Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys, California.

Railroad traffic throughout the western states, provinces and territories is very much delayed by heavy snow storms.

Thousands of cattle in Kansas and adjoining states have died on account of the present spell of unusually cold weather.

The people of Birmingham, Ala., have been alive for four days in a temperature of 15 degrees. One man was frozen to death.

Advertising in Russia.

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Tinling—A horse is of no use until it is broken; and a bicycle is of no use after.

Natural.

"Parker, the post, has twins."

"I've not surprised. He always was deaf on complete."

About Registered Letters.

In England a registered letter can be traced to all the officials through whose hands it passes, from sender to recipient. Every registered letter is accompanied by a bill, which is signed by every official through whose hands it passes, except when the letters go from a sub-office to the central office of a town. The registered ones are put by themselves into a green bag, in which they are carried by the postman. When a postman takes letters out for delivery, he signs his name separately for each registered letter, and he must obtain the signature of the person who receives it when it is delivered.

The fee for a registered letter was at one time 2s. 6d., fifteen years ago it was 1s.; but in 1873 it was reduced to 2d. in which year 5,500,000 registered letters were sent instead of 4,316,000 the year before, and as contrasted with 1,300,000, twenty-seven years ago. In the twelve months ending March 31st, 1892, the number of letters registered in the United Kingdom was 12,070,285, an increase of 720,171 on the previous year. Registered letter envelopes, bearing a twopenny stamp embossed on the flap, are supplied of various sizes; at from 2d. to 3d. each; and, if these are used, the Post Office makes good any loss up to 22. Letters can be registered by rural postmen on their rounds.

Loss Through the Homestead Strike.

The pecuniary loss by the Homestead strike to the State, Allegheny County, Carnegie Steel Company and the workmen, is estimated at between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000, which amount is considered by those in a position to know a very conservative estimate. The lockout took place on June 30th, and involved 4,800 men. The loss to the old employees has averaged \$125,000 per month, making the total for five months \$625,000. This loss is exclusive of the wages affected by the trouble at the other Carnegie plants. At least thirty-five deaths were directly or indirectly caused by the strike. Besides those killed in the battle of July 6th, many soldiers contracted fever which resulted fatally, one soldier was shot accidentally by a comrade, another was killed by the cars, one strikeer committed suicide, one was drowned, was killed by the cars, several non-union men died from fever and several were killed in the mill and one was murdered by another non-unionist.

Charles F. Law, British Columbia's commissioner to the World's Fair, has gone to Chicago to prepare for business.

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"	1 month	10.
Half column	1 year	45.
"	6 months	25.
"	3 months	15.
"	1 month	5.
Quarter column	1 year	25.
"	6 months	15.
"	3 months	8.
"	1 month	3.
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"	3 months	4.50.
"	1 month	2.

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Below will be found a valuable letter under the heading of Diphtheria, written by Dr. Thomas to the editor of the Carberry Express. In our opinion the warning applies just as much to Elkhorn as it does to Carberry, and, as the doctor says, diphtheria being so much a preventable disease as typhoid, it behoves all good citizens to consider what steps can be taken to prevent its coming amongst us. We shall be pleased to see the matter thoroughly gone into, and all the pros and cons discussed, and we would remind our readers that our columns are entirely free for such discussion. It will be well to remember that this is a matter which is just as important to private parties as to business people and those who may have more interest in the place, and we would particularly urge every one to well-consider the matter as being one of vital importance to himself.

DIPHTHERIA.

Editor of Carberry Express.
Diphtheria is paying its annual visit to the town, and when it is remembered that diphtheria, as well as typhoid, is to a certain extent, a preventable disease, the present unsanitary condition of the town is a disgrace as a municipality. There are a certain number of people who are, through ignorance or carelessness, a constant source of danger to the community at large; the majority should therefore take such steps to secure the common health as would consist with common sense to remove the danger. Diphtheria may be carried from an infected spot by means of the air, clothing, articles of furniture, water, milk, &c., and such infection is more likely to take effect where the constant habits and surroundings of the people are unhealthy. It is shown that the virus may be intensified where there are emanations from decomposing organic matter, such as manure, straw, vegetables, dead animals, &c.—Such decomposing organic matter also finds its way into the water near and thus pollutes the water, the constant drinking of which, as well as the constant breathing in of the impure gases given off by such decomposition has such an effect upon the general health of the individual, and upon his system as to render such individual peculiarly liable to all such diseases. It is therefore urgent upon everybody to take such steps as may tend to secure themselves and families from this dread disease. The great rule of health is cleanliness in the system at present time "Cleanliness" is the next consideration is how may this cleanliness of person, clothes, furniture, house, yards, out-houses, stables, air and water be secured. Cleanliness of the person, clothes, furniture and house, can be secured by the constant and periodical use of soap and plenty of water. As to the person, the whole body should be thoroughly washed, at least, once a week and the underclothes changed as often. It is also of importance for the sake of good health that all water used for drinking purposes should be boiled and if possible filtered. The last traces of boiled water may be converted by pouring the water through a sieve from a height of any two feet into the filter. Every house and community should, besides being thoroughly cleaned every spring and fall, be washed and scrubbed down at least once every two weeks. All sweepings of floors and carpets should be burnt in the stove; and also, except where there is stock to feed in the house, all vegetable and fruit parings and refuse should be carried away at least twice a week and burnt in a furnace built for that purpose, not less than a mile from town and in a direction from which the wind comes least often. I do not directly say, WASH YOUR STOMACH, but no person whose chest should be filled up with a mixture of bark and lime) but, instead, a large fine or wooden pill, into which should be put some of the ashes of the stove every time the chest is used. This pill should be swallowed twice a week to cleanse the system, and thrown on the furnace heap to be carried away with that and burnt. These precautions would help to keep the air and water pure. Wells should not be supplied too often, as going so often to make the well draw water, when there is a dry season, is to draw up the water from the bottom of the well. All wells should have a sufficient height to prevent surface water from flowing in. All steps from the house should be thrown on the furnace heap of fire the whole is the

clean to be removed with this refuse. This being properly done the well may be as near the house as may be convenient or possible and all refuse kept in the area around the house should be kept free from all paper, straw, old manure, &c. In the town these very necessary improvements may be done by those individuals who appreciate the necessity of order, but no little lesson is learned from the whole lump, so the council should, in their duty, take all these sanitary arrangements in hand for the benefit of the whole community, and enforce by means of by-laws and penalties, together with the aid of a sanitary officer and contractor, the removal of all refuse as suggested. The large tanks in town for the fire brigade if not emptied weekly become vast cesspools. In the country, the municipal council should see that a corresponding degree of cleanliness is kept up. Individual farmers should see to their own places themselves for their own sakes and the sakes of their families, and should avoid their neighbors who do not keep their places clean, as they would avoid the plague or pestilence.

W. RUSSELL THOMAS.

Dr. Eaton, of Carberry, replied to the above letter as follows:—
I have read with a great deal of satisfaction and pleasure the very able article written by my confrere Dr. Thomas upon the relation which the unsanitary conditions of our town bears to the number of cases of typhoid fever, diphtheria and other low forms of fever with which the medical practitioners are so constantly combating. I sincerely hope that others, who control and direct the affairs of the town and all who have the pleasure and privilege to assist will not only read the same with pleasure but may profit from it by adopting some scheme whereby the refuse and garbage may be disposed of so completely that the inhabitants may move about with safety from the source of infection to which they are now subjected.

It is not my intention to enlarge upon what Dr. Thomas has so fully and ably discussed but to endeavor to put before you some possible scheme by which the scavenging of the town can be completely and cheaply done.
I will suppose the population of Carberry to be eight hundred and the average membership of each family to be five. Then we have one hundred and sixty families. That means as many places to be cleaned. Now we pay about five dollars per annum to have our yards cleaned and closets piled empty. That is, to say, we pay \$800 a year having been exposed for that length of time to the very source of infection from which these diseases spring. We have been inviting these little germs into our homes for one year after nourishing them carefully for that length of time in hot beds of filth at our doors. If each house owner was taxed 50 cents a month for twelve months we would have from 1920 families \$960.

Suppose there are fifty horses stabled in town for six months. For each horse owner 10 cents a month to have manure removed. That is \$75. There are at least twenty-five horses stabled in town during summer. These at 25 cents a month would be \$37.50.

Then to sum up we have:
Tax from house owners.....\$960 00
Tax from horse owners.....75 00
Tax from horse owners.....37 50
Total.....\$1,072 50

Now, we have this amount to spend for cleaning. Can it be done for that amount? I say yes. Say 160 places to be scavenged. A man can remove the debris from eight places in an hour. That is to say what has accumulated in three days after the town has been thoroughly cleaned of what has accumulated through the past winter.

Eight yards in one hour and one hundred and sixty yards to clean would mean twenty hours, or two days of ten hours each. Then the town could be cleaned twice weekly and have two days allowed for cartage.
I contend then that the town should be cleaned bi-weekly. A man and a team, or better still, a man and two dump carts could be hired for \$3 a day or \$14 a week for fifty-two weeks, which would amount to \$896.

But we have an income of \$1072.50, which leaves in the treasury \$196.50. To continue on the subject, there should be a complete change made at the closet system at present time in town. All pits should be emptied, carted away and filled with new earth. I would then advise galvanised pails, one or more as required, these placed in pits and a box placed in the closet containing waste ashes and a small barrel or tub at each end of the closet in occupied abode can be plentifully thrown in the pails. These should be a trap at the back of the closet or a hinged seat, so that pails can be removed at will, emptied and replaced.
There should also be a box or barrel of such size as could be easily handled by the scavenger to receive the refuse from the house, etc. A most convenient closet for winter use is the patent ventilated closet sold by Malcom and Alkin, and one that can be put in the house with perfect safety.
In order to dispose of the refuse of the town in a proper manner there should be built a long brick furnace, placed in the side of a hill so that the tarls could be drawn up and the refuse dumped in at the top and burned as fast as drawn. It should be placed in some direction from the town from which the prevailing wind does not blow so that we would not be favored with the aroma as we are at present from the manure ground at the close of the winter to the west of the town. The present dumping ground is a disgrace and constant source of danger to the inhabitants and should be visited by next summer. It would be a beautiful hot bed to develop the germs and we should be supplied with infection all winter. If the present council did nothing during 1892 but to do away with the present nuisance ground and construct some better scheme for disposing of refuse they would bestow upon the inhabitants of Carberry a spot of land which their names would go down to posterity as benefactors.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for your valuable advice, I remain, &c.

J. M. Eaton.

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January 22nd, 1917.

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 11 A. M.
 4 P. M.

PRESBYTERIAN.
REV. J. W. PENMAN, MINISTER.
 11 A. M.
 3 P. M.
 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST.
REV. T. M. TALBOT, MINISTER.
 11 A. M.
 3 P. M.
 7:30 P. M.



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Get your carnival costumes ready.

Carnet fruit and general groceries cheap at Coombs & Co.

The small-pox case at Grains cost the Provincial Government \$2,000.

All winter goods 20 per cent off at the Fleming harness shop.

Best prices paid for butter in good shape at R. M. Coombs & Co.

Go to the Fleming harness shop for the best patent over coat fasciner.

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We are pleased to hear that Mr. Coombs' little girl has almost regained her usual health.

We want all the eggs your hens can lay and will pay the highest price for them. R. M. Coombs & Co.

The St. Andrews' Society concert and ball will take place on Wednesday next in the town hall. Dinna forget.

Don't forget the Farmer's Institute meeting to be held Saturday next. Mr. Hadford will address the meeting.

Don't Caranagh left for St. John's College, Winnipeg, on Monday, after a vacation of three weeks.

Doctors differ in their diagnosis, but the farmers agree that the cheapest and most efficient medicine is kept at R. M. Coombs & Co.

Mr. Jas. Ewingston, late of Carberry, has taken up his abode in the town. He has engaged with Mr. Broadway as the smith in place of Mr. F. Minto.

Men's fur coats, ladies' astrachan jackets and ulsters, boys' overcoats, fur caps and mits to fit everybody, can be bought cheap at R. M. Coombs & Co.

We have received the Jan. number (12) of the Parish and Home. It is as usual full of good reading matter. All subscriptions should be renewed as soon as possible with the editor, Rev. R. G. Stevenson.

The Americans laugh at us for giving to localities such names as Rio Corne and Petrolcanians and yet the other day the United States man-of-war Fern went ashore on to the Picaque River, near Smutty Nose Island or Full-and-Be- Dammed Point.

The Rev. Dr. Robertson preached on behalf of the Home Mission fund at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday last. There were good congregations at each service, and all were very much interested in the accounts given by the doctor of mission work in general, and that branch which came beneath his own particular notice more especially.

The Washakie Indian Home had a narrow escape from fire on Tuesday evening. The furnace smokes that had caught the flooring and joists above, on account of some resin falling on to it. The floor above had to be cut away with axes, and some of the staff worked, with a plentiful supply of water, the fire was soon got under control, with little damage except what could be rectified by the carpenter.

An accident happened on the C. P. R. to the express train which was bearing Mrs. Wilson and Miss Nae-Nae-Nae away last week. The train was derailed by the train ran off the line, and the baggage car and two or three coaches were precipitated into the ditch. Happily the car in which Mrs. Wilson and Miss Nae-Nae-Nae were in did not leave the rails, and consequently they escaped with only a slight shaking. Several other passengers were slightly injured, but no lives lost.

Arthur Allan, son of the late Sir Hugh Allan of Montreal, met with a sad death on Monday. He was found in his room, sitting in a chair, and quite dead. The room was full of smoke which was caused by some smouldering papers in the waste paper basket. It is thought that he had thrown the lighted end of a cigar amongst the papers, and then fallen asleep in his chair. Curiously enough there was no fire, but a heavy smoke which caused suffocation. An inquest will be held.

The committee of the curling club have made arrangements for holding a grand fancy dress carnival on February 3rd. The whole of the rink will be thrown open for skaters in costume, who will be admitted free, and after 9:30 all others will be allowed on the ice. The admission fee for on-lookers and skaters without costume will be twenty-five cents. Prizes will be given for the best gentleman's costume, the best ladies' costume and the best comic costume.

The conductor, Mr. Burd, of one of the freight trains going west on Friday evening came near losing his life at the Elkhorh station. The train, which was very heavily loaded, pulled out of the station at a good pace, and Burd, catching at the hand rail of the caboose, slipped on the platform and fell, still holding on to the rail. He was dragged along for some distance, and at last fell from the train. He remained all night in Elkhorh and took the morning express for Brandon where he resides. We hear that he is fast recovering.

We hear that the concert and dance to be held in Elkhorh on Wednesday next, will be the entertainment of the season, and to judge from the tempting programme, we have no doubt it will be so. Mr. R. G. Stevenson is well known here as a comic performer, and is justly a favorite. Mr. and Mrs. Fitch made a name for themselves amongst lovers of music at the Foresters' concert last November, while the performances of Mrs. Lloyd and Miss South of Graveland, Mr. John P. Virden, and Mr. Mayhall of Elkhorh are only to be heard to be appreciated. It is also the intention of the managing committee to secure, if possible, the services of Mrs. Whyte, the favorite Winnipeg Scotch singer. This programme for the concert should draw a bumper house and no doubt it will do so. As for the dance which follows, it is a foregone conclusion that it will be well attended, and with the excellent music provided for and a good floor of company, an splendid time for lovers of the night fantastic is to be anticipated.

CURLING NOTES.

The President's trophy was won by Mr. Roy's rink, he having gained five out of six games.

Single matches are being played for the club medal.

The curling and skating rinks will both be thrown open for the fancy dress carnival on Feb. 3rd.

A curling match, married men v bachelors, was played on Friday, which resulted in a victory for married men—19 to 8.

Married men, skip, Fraser. Bachelors, skip, Hoy.

The Virden Curling Club took the Tuckett medal and the district trophy at Brandon on Friday. The Hojval "Calendian" medal was won by the Moosemound club.

Two rinks, with Meagars, Hoy and Fraser as (skips), played a scratch team at Virden on Tuesday. The games were pretty even, and though the Elkhorh men were beaten by a few points, yet they deserve all credit for making a good stand.

It is extremely likely that Virden will have to put a stronger rink on the ice next time or they will come off second best.

ELKHORN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION, CHRISTMAS 1916.

V CLASS—Grace Holston, Alberta Freeman, Ethel Smith, Hattie Hume, Bertha Cavanagh, L. Van Nostrand.

IV CLASS—Milton Tinline, Ery Cavanagh, Jas. A. McLeod, Fanny Birmingham, John Anonson, John Cavanagh.

III CLASS—Perry Tinline, Bert Johnson, John Rolston, George Harry, Edna Harrison, Lily Cavanagh, Jas. Felde, Geo. Gordon, Wm. Fraser, Gerald Wilson, Fred Hume.

BEST ATTENDANCE—Boys, John Cavanagh, Bert Johnson, Jas. A. McLeod.

Girls, Lily Cavanagh, Ery Cavanagh, Anna Van Nostrand.

THOS. S. F. TAYLOR, Teacher.

FLEMING.

THE GATEWAY TOWN OF THE N. W. T.

Wheat is coming in very slow owing to the state of the trails.

Our worthy M. P. W. W. McDonald, has had another addition to his family. It is a boy, the time and he is the happiest man in the country.

Rev. M. C. Flatt returned home on Friday last looking as well as ever.

The public school has been closed for the past month and will be so till Feb. 1st.

Miss Cameron has gone to Moosemound to attend the Normal school and Miss B. Winters takes charge till her return.

The Sunday School opens again next Sunday at the usual time, having been closed for the last few weeks owing to the fever.

Some person or persons borrowed two buck saws last evening. The owners will be obliged if they will return them. We are sorry to say that there is a little less finger work being done on the last few months and it won't be very pleasant for the parties if they are caught.

The wife of Frederick Trotter died yesterday after a few days illness. It is not necessary to say that Mr. Trotter has the sympathy of the entire neighborhood in his great loss. The funeral took place on Tuesday at the Fleming cemetery.

MARYFIELD.

Mr. Archie McCormack was married to Miss M. M. Montgomery, eldest daughter of Mr. A. Montgomery, on Tuesday the 3rd inst. As all the bachelors in the district are living on their farms this winter it would be well for them to take a look into this question, and like Archie go and do likewise.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the school district was held on Thursday, January 18th. Mr. W. M. Parlett was elected chairman of the Board for the current year. Mr. Wm. P. Kay was elected secretary and Mr. W. M. Parlett, auditor.

I am sorry to say our postmaster, Mr. Longman, of Lippentott, continues in very ill health. He intends going east for a while hoping the change will do him good.

Mr. S. Hunter has returned from Fleming where he has been visiting Mr. B. H. Gillett in his store.

IMMIGRATION.

WHAT THE POSITION GOVERNMENT IS DOING IN THE MATTER.

OWAS, Jan. 18th.—This year promises to be a memorable one in the annals of immigration to Canada. During the past few months the Interior Department has been quietly re-organizing work back on the continent and in Europe in view of the coming rush to Manitoba and the North-West. Experience already proves the wisdom of the transfer of the immigration branch of the Department of Agriculture, in the British Isles alone five thousand looking agents will co-operate with the Government agents. The country has been divided into districts, the work in each of which will be directed by trained and efficient men. (Hon. T. M. Daly, Minister of the Interior, has devoted great attention to the subject since entering the Government, and confidently anticipates very good results in the spring. Germany and Sweden have prohibited Canadian immigration agents carrying on the work in those countries.

JAY GOULD.

The present writer once had the pleasure of meeting the late Mr. Jay Gould, and for him as a conversationalist, interesting, pointed and most communicative. We said to him, "Are not you millionaires a menace to American liberty? You are getting into your few hands all the money wealth of the country; you are controlling 'legislatures'; 'not freedom in danger.' His eye, which was bright and piercing, and we thought, twinkled still brighter and he said: "No, there is no danger; my son of grandeur will probably turn out a scoundrel and spend it all." His son, however, proved to be so far a chip off the old block; nor are the sons of other millionaires in the States displaying the hoarded wealth of their fathers, and it may be my turn-out as we said to Mr. Gould that there will be a capital displacement movement in the United States analogous to the agrarian movements in the old Roman Republic, with which the names of the Gracchi are connected.

A contributor to the St. James's Gazette gives an account of a conversation which he held with the great millionaire on the deck of an Atlantic liner, and we commend it to those of our readers who think they would be happy if they were rich and are far gone in the desire for wealth. "I could tell you more of the story, but in this all too utterly materialistic age, in the course of this conversation Jay Gould gave an account of his system as follows:—

"Everything in this world moves between two limits, like a pendulum. The true secret of success is to watch the pendulum till you get the usual limits of the swing. If you want to make money by buying and selling stock, you must study a certain stock till you have gauged its limits. If you find that this particular stock wavers between 140 and 170, wait till it falls to 140, and then buy all you can lay hands on, always being content to sell it out long before it rises up to 170. When it reaches 170, sell all you can find purchasers for, and close your account long before it sinks to 140. In two words, buy at the bottom and sell at the top, cut your losses be content with small profits, and never be induced to play with stock stands at 'fair prices.' This is the golden rule. There is but one exception. It is this: never follow the market, that is to say be led by the fool. As soon as there is a panic, buy. The reaction always follows. I am telling you nothing probably, but I am telling you how I made my fortune, and how those who do not do it lose theirs. One stock is as good as another, only you must not start till you have had it under observation for three years."—Regina Leader.

WILL IT REACH A DOLLAR?

GRAIN MEN NOW PREDICT THAT WHEAT WILL STRIKE A HIGH LIMIT.

Another rise in the Chicago market occurred Saturday, quotations closing at 87 7/8, a rise of 1 3/4 cents in the opening. Throughout Manitoba now prices remain steady, farmers settling all the way from 51 to 58 cents for good samples of oats and two bushels. No. 3 sold yesterday at Dominion City for 50 cents and sales were reported at other provincial points. These prices are said by grain men not to be due entirely to the impetus given by the Lake of the Woods Milling Company, but partly to the strength of the Chicago market. Several grain men are of the opinion that the upward tendency now noticeable will continue until May wheat will quote in Chicago at from ten to fifteen cents higher than the present. There will be a weaker market on wheat odds at the grain exchange a day or so ago that May wheat would just reach the dollar limit. This however may be of no material benefit to the Manitoba farmer as fully seventy-five per cent of the wheat is now out of the country. The few who have been all the season on will reap all the benefits—that is, assuming that both prospects turn out correct.

Oats now sell at from 1 1/2 to 2 cents higher than they have been for the past two months. The rule is partly due to the cultivation of the oat and barley privileges heretofore accorded to the elevator men. Where oats were selling at thirteen cents two weeks ago they now command fifteen cents.—Free Press.

The largest cheese in the world will be placed on a pyramid among the Canadian dairy products at the World's Fair at Chicago. It weighs over 25,000 lbs. and is made of one day's milk supplied by 10,000 cows, and is pronounced to be perfect in texture, flavour and color. From Chicago it is to be sent to England for consumption. By which time it will be probably not only the greatest, but the most valuable in creation. At least it could be utilized when attached to a steam roller, for the levelling of some London streets.

ELKHORN MARKETS.

Wheat No. 1 hard, 53c; No. 2, 50c. Oats, 18c. Butter 18 to 20c. Eggs 20c. Chickens 8c. Turkeys 11 to 13c. Potatoes 3c. Onions \$1.25 per bush. Lard 12 1/2c. Beef 4 to 4 1/2c. Pork 5 to 6c. Mutton 9 to 10c. Sausages 12c. Hides 1 1/2 to 2c. Bacon 10c.

WHEN THE VILLAGE PAPER'S PRINTED.

(Written by Roderic Q. Fenfield for the Inland Printer.)

When the village paper's printed and the "devils" hurrying feet Have carried all the "samples" to the office down the street; When the roller and the form are washed, and pastepot put away, Then the editor in comfort closes up his "busy day."

With tilted chair, and feet upon the old, deck mounted high; With pipe and porch, and office cat ranged contemplative by— He scans the paper over, and notes with conscious pride That he's got "a name good number," and lots of ads beside.

The outside may be "patent," but the inside is all right; Though the grammar may be faulty, or the ink a little "light." Though the ads are "along together" and "the page needs 'planing down'" It's the paper that the people want, and not the one from town.

The old "lone primer leader" tells the news in homely way. Not forgetting Jones' big pumpkin, or the wedding "cross the way." Nor how the corner "Glee Club" on Thursday night will sing, Nor yet the last church social, nor the signs of early spring.

Then we glance across the pages to the "double column ads." Set in good old full-face roman, and quite free from modern fads. And beside them are the smaller—"Want-eds," "Notices" and "For Sale." And the million "writings of f. f. f." with their oftentimes mournful tale.

The type is worn with countless squeezes "neath the platen's strain; Its face is battered here and there—'twill never look new again. Both editor and press are old; they show their age to-day. But the paper will live on and thrive when both have passed away.

THE SERENADER.

He sang beneath the window dark, In a tenor voice pitched shrilly high, In a tone that drowned the watchdog's bark, "Give me the girl with a bright black eye!"



There arose before him a form immense; There happened a thud and a swiftest swirl, And he carried away as he leaped the fence, A bright black eye, but nary a girl.

MODESTY.

The Philadelphia maiden, who is so modest that she will not go to bed while the "Christian Observer" is on her table, has been out done by the beautiful Boston lady who declines to walk up a hill because it makes her breath come in short pants. How about the Toronto girl who won't cross a potato field because the potatoes have eyes and might see her ankles?

Her eyes are the loveliest blue, Her cheeks are like the roses; To love her thrills me through and through. To kiss her—Holy Moses!!!—Er.

STRAYED.

LOST FROM ELPHINSTONE Farm, one chestnut BROCHON MARE with white face, two white hind feet, about 15 hands high. One BAY MARE, white star on forehead. Any information given about the above will oblige R. PRIE, ELPHINSTONE FARM NEWDALE.

LOST FROM ELKHORN ON OR about 6th Jan., a liver and white setter pup, about 7 months old. Suitable reward will be given to the finder by J. M. GILROY, at the harness shop Elkhorh.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE—A WILLIAMS (TORONTO) Upright Piano, in P. rect. Order. A Beautiful Instrument—Value \$400—Will take \$250. Apply—Office of the DISTRICT ADVOCATE, ELKHORN.

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